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Policy Branch Information Actions Taken

The Commission, by its International Bureau, took the following actions pursuant to delegated authority. The effective date of these actions is the release date of this Notice, except where an effective date is specified.

SAT-PPL-20160722-00064 E S2969 HISPASAT, S.A.

Petition for Declaratory Ruling to be Added to the Permitted List

Granted in Part/ Deferred in Part Effective Date: 04/06/2017

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On April 6, 2017, the Satellite Division granted in part HISPASAT's petition to add a space station authorized by Spain, HISPASAT 30W-6, at the 30° W.L. orbital location to the Commission's Permitted Space Station List. HISPASAT 30W-6 will replace the capacity of the HISPASAT 30W-4 space station (S2476) in the 13.91-14.5 GHz (Earth-to-space) and 11.7-12.2 GHz (space-to-Earth) Ku-band frequencies and will provide additional capacity in the 6725-7025 MHz (Earth-to-space), 13.0-13.25 GHz (Earth-to-space), and 11.2-11.45 GHz (space-to-Earth) frequency bands. The Division deferred action on HISPASAT's request for U.S. market access to provide fixed-satellite services in the 4500-4800 MHz band.

SAT-STA-20170223-00020 E S2110 Iridium Constellation LLC

Special Temporary Authority

Report No. SAT-01230

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 03/31/2017

On March 31, 2017, the Satellite Division granted, with conditions, special temporary authority for a period of 30 days to Iridium Constellation LLC to maintain a single first-generation, non-geostationary satellite as an in-orbit spare following its replacement by a second generation satellite. Telemetry, tracking, and command operations for the spare satellite will be conducted in the 19.4-19.6 GHz (space-to-Earth), 23.18-23.38 GHz (inter-satellite), and 29.1-29.3 GHz (Earth-to-space) frequency bands.

SAT-T/C-20170322-00055 E S2357 Skynet Satellite Corporation

Transfer of Control

Consummated Effective Date: 01/01/2017

Current Licensee: Skynet Satellite Corporation

FROM: Telesat Holdings, Inc.
TO: Telesat Canada

No. of Station(s) listed: 3

DA No.

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SAT-PDR-20160906-00087 S2971 Spectrum Five LLC

On March 2, 2017, the Satellite Division granted market access to Spectrum Five LLC to provide direct-to-home service in the United States using a proposed 17/24 GHz space station, BSSNET2A-95W (Call Sign S2971), at the 95.15° W.L. orbital location under the authority of the Netherlands. Spectrum Five did not post the bond as required by Section 25.165 of the Commission's rules and a condition to its market access grant. Accordingly, the grant of market access became null and void on April 1, 2017. The market access grant specified the 17.3-17.7 GHz (space-to-Earth) and 24.75-25.15 GHz (Earth-to-space) frequency bands. Effective 2:00 p.m. ET on Tuesday, April 11, 2017, parties may file for space station authorizations and U.S. market access that otherwise would have been mutually exclusive with Spectrum Five's grant. Such requests filed prior to this date and time will be dismissed as premature without prejudice to refiling.

For more information concerning this Notice, contact the Satellite Division at 202-418-0719; TTY 1-888-835-5322.